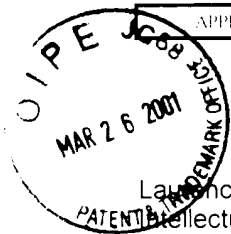




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FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

*Filing Date Granted*

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.  
*Applicant must submit \$ 710 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).*
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$72.
  - \$72 for 4 total claims over 20.
- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- **The balance due by applicant is \$ 912.**

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PART 2 - COPY TO BE RETURNED WITH RESPONSE

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In re Application Of: )  
Michael F. ENKLER et al. ) Group Art Unit: 3612  
Application Number: 09/709,743 ) Examiner: Not Yet Known  
Filed: November 13, 2000 )  
For: HEAT-INSULATING AND SOUNDPROOFING LINING FOR  
AN ENGINE COMPARTMENT OF A MOTOR VEHICLE

**RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING  
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Sir:

In response to the attached copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application - *Filing Date Granted* mailed February 27, 2001, applicants are submitting herewith the a copy of the executed Declaration and Power of Attorney for Patent Application for filing in the above-captioned application.

A check in the amount of \$912.00 is attached to cover the fees as calculated below:

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